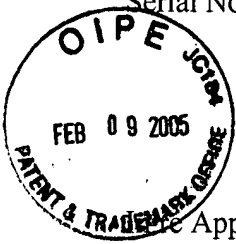


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed January 26, 2005 and to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2004, Applicants' attorney respectfully offers the following Remarks and Amendments to the Claims. In addition, please provide a 4-month extension of time up to and including February 9, 2005 to answer the Office Action mailed September 9, 2004, as provided for in 37 CFR §1.136(a). Our firm's check in the amount of \$1590 is enclosed for the extension of time fee. If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account No. 502190.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper; and

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